

## Message Text

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PASS TO T. PROSS, OFFICE SHIPBUILDING COSTS, MARAD, USDOC,  
WASHDCFROM SOMECK

E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: EWWT ID

SUBJ: LNG

1. A GAS PRICE INCREASE AMENDMENT TO THE SEPT 1973 CONTRACT BETWEEN PERTAMINA AND PACIFIC LIGHTING WAS SIGNED IN JAKARTA ON ELEVENTH JANUARY. VERY FEW DETAILS ARE AVAILABLE AND THOSE WHICH HAVE BEEN DISCLOSED CANNOT BE REVEALED UNTIL PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF AMENDMENT IS MADE IN US LATER THIS MONTH.

2. THE PACIFIC OFFICIALS WHO PARTICIPATED IN SIGNING SAID THEY KNOW NOTHING ABOUT TRANSPORT JINUNGEMENTS AND THAT THEIR LOS ANGELES OFFICE HAS SOME KNOWLEDGE THIS ASPECT. HOWEVER, RUMOR IS THAT TRANSPORT IS UNDECIDED AND THAT BOTH CARRIER AND BUILDER ARE UP FOR GRABS FOR ATLEAST SOME IF NOT ALL OF THE VESSELS REQUIRED. THERE IS ALSO RUMOR THAT PERTAMINA MAY WANT TO BECOME INVOLVED WITH SOME OF THE VESSELS EVEN TO EXTENT OF REGISTERING VESSELS INDONESIA. SHOULD YOU WISH TO DISCUSS WITH PACIFIC PRIOR TO PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT, DO NOT MAKE ATTRIBUTION YOUR SOURCE. IF YOU HAVE ANY INQUIRIES, OR COMMENTS THIS SUBJECT, SEND BY TELEGRAPH TO SOMECK, CARE GETSINGER, AMCONSUL HONG KONG BY 23RD/24TH JANUARY AS SOMECK MEETING WITH SENIOR OFFICIAL FROM  
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AMEMBASSY JAKARTA ON 27TH AND 28TH IN TAIPEI TO DISCUSS MATTER

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